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**March 9, 2022**

Present: Michelle Bobklov, Jake Lewon, Harold Simmons, Leo Tometich, Matt Naughton; Town Administrator Brian Palaia;  
Absent: Jim Frey  
In attendance: Fire fighter Representatives, Interim Police Chief

Meeting called to order 6:42PM at Dunstable Town Hall

**ITEM 1**

350<sup>th</sup> Anniversary request for funds. The 350<sup>th</sup> anniversary committee asked for funding, request was made. Motion: Matt made a motion to make initial money available for funding \$5,400.00 to committee.  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Leo Tometich  
Vote: Approved

**ITEM 2**

Fire Department coverage options. Discussion around options for fire department coverage. Options discussed at the last meeting. After discussion Brian Palaia will work on the budget and use Option A as a target to be funded.

**ITEM 3**

Budget Discussion around the GDRSD. If approved, it would limit the town of Groton from adding a much needed dispatcher. Funding this would possibly include an override vote. Further discussion delayed until end of March in meeting with Selectman.  
Motion:

**ITEM 4**

Draft of the town warrant was reviewed. Brian presented each article that is planned. Several contract have allowed for money savings lawn maintenance and health insurance. This is helping to make funding the fire department Option A viable.  
Will discuss further at the March meeting with Selectman.

Motion to adjourn made by Harold, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Leo . Vote: Unanimous to adjourn  
Meeting adjourned at 7:55pm.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Matthew Naughton